

84TH CONGRESS
2^D SESSION

H. R. 8236

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JANUARY 9, 1956

Mrs. CHURCH introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Government Operations

A BILL

To provide for comprehensive reports by the Bureau of the Budget with respect to all branches of the Government and the executive agencies thereof.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the Budget and Accounting Procedures Act of 1950 is
4 hereby amended by adding after section 119 thereof the fol-
5 lowing heading and new section:

6 “COMPREHENSIVE REPORTS OF EXECUTIVE AGENCIES

7 “SEC. 120. (a) The Director of the Bureau of the Budget
8 is authorized and directed to prepare or cause to be prepared
9 for transmission to the Congress during the first days of

1 each regular session a comprehensive report (other than a
2 purely fiscal report) with respect to the financial results of the
3 activities of all branches of the Government and of each execu-
4 tive agency thereof. Each such report with respect to an
5 executive agency shall contain information, in such detail
6 as the Director shall prescribe, relating to all the operations
7 and activities of such agency, including the costs of such oper-
8 ations and activities, the assets and liabilities of the agency,
9 the extent of its contingent liabilities, if any, and such other
10 pertinent data and information as the Director determines
11 to be necessary to carry out the purposes of this section.

12 “(b) The head of each executive agency shall furnish such
13 information as the Director of the Bureau of the Budget may re-
14 quire for the purpose of preparing the comprehensive reports
15 herein provided for.”

16 SEC. 2. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated
17 such sums as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of
18 this Act.

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